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A VIVALDI SCHOOL YEAR

(THE SEASONS, HOLIDAY BREAKS, AND MORE!)

Arranged by
Carrie Lane Gruselle

Instrumentation

- 1 - Conductor's Full Score
- 8 - Violin 1
- 8 - Violin 2 (Viola T.C.)
- 5 - Viola
- 5 - Violoncello
- 5 - Double Bass
- 1 - Piano

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The Arranger

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Ms. Gruselle has served in leadership roles for the Wisconsin Chapter of the American String Teachers Association, the Wisconsin School Musicians Association and the Wisconsin Music Educators Association. She is a current member of the WMEA Comprehensive Musicianship through Performance committee. Her arrangements and compositions are studied and performed worldwide.

About the Music

Among Vivaldi's many violin concertos are his most famous four, *Le quattro stagioni* (*The Four Seasons*), each representing one of the four seasons of the year. In this arrangement, one theme from each concerto is placed in the chronology of the school year, beginning with autumn. Autumn is briefly interrupted with an eerie Halloween motif, and fall continues, concluding with the familiar Dutch Thanksgiving hymn, *We Gather Together*. Winter inevitably follows, and would not be complete without a taste of *Jingle Bells*. Spring suddenly appears and is interrupted with a well-deserved spring break to Hawaii with the well-known song *Aloha 'Oe!* The end of the school year brings summer weather, and finally graduation with the dignified tones of Elgar's *Pomp and Circumstance*. What a year it has been!

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Carrie Lane Gruselle".

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TRADITIONAL
Arranged by
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Allegro ($\text{♩} = 132\text{--}156$)
Autumn

Violin 1

Violin 2 (Viola T.C.)

Viola

Violoncello

Double Bass

Piano

2 3 4 5 6

Vln. 1

Vln. 2 (Vla. T.C.)

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

Piano

7 8 9 10 11 12



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13

Vln. 1

Vln. 2 (Vla. T.C.)

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

Piano

13 14 15 16 17 18

(Halloween)

Vln. 1

Vln. 2 (Vla. T.C.)

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

Piano

19 20 21 22 23 24

25

Vln. 1

Vln. 2 (Vla. T.C.)

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

Piano

30 (Thanksgiving Break)

p

p

p

p

p

p

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mp

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non div.

25 26 27 28 29 30

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34 Winter

Vln. 1

Vln. 2 (Vla. T.C.)

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

Piano

p

mf

mf

p

pizz.

p

pizz.

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L2

L2

31 32 33 34 35 36

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42

Vln. 1

Vln. 2 (Vla. T.C.)

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

Piano

37 38 39 40 41 42 43

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Vln. 1

Vln. 2 (Vla. T.C.)

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

Piano

44 45 46 47 48 49

50 (*Winter Break*)

pizz.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2 (Vla. T.C.)

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

Piano

50 51 52 53 54 55

56 *Spring*

Vln. 1

Vln. 2 (Vla. T.C.)

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

Piano

56 57 58 59 60 61

62

Vln. 1

Vln. 2 (Vla. T.C.)

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

Piano

62 63 64 65 66 67

68 (Spring Break)

Vln. 1

Vln. 2 (Vla. T.C.)

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

Piano

68 69 70 71 72 73

74

Vln. 1

Vln. 2 (Vla. T.C.)

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

Piano

74 75 76 77 78 79

80 *Summer*

Vln. 1

Vln. 2 (Vla. T.C.)

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

Piano

80 81 82 83 84

88 (Graduation)

Vln. 1

Vln. 2 (Vla. T.C.)

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

Piano

85 86 87 88 89

Vln. 1

Vln. 2 (Vla. T.C.)

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

Piano

90 91 92 93 94 95